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## DIDSBURY OPERA HOUSE

**Monday Night, August 19**

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**"Joan the Woman"**

Based on the life of the immortal  
**JOAN OF ARC**

Prices 25c and 50c

## Big Institute Rally and Red Cross Auction Sale

The Didsbury Women's Institute

in conjunction with the Women's Institutes in the district east of Didsbury will hold a

**Big Rally and Red Cross Auction Sale in DIDSBURY on**

**Saturday, August 31st**

The following Speakers will address the meeting:

**Prof. W. J. Elliott**

Olds School of Agriculture

**Miss Noble**

**Miss L. Pinkham**

**H. B. Atkins, M.L.A.**

**Cafeteria Dinner will be Served**

Everybody come to the Rally and help to make it a success. Besides helping a good cause you also will receive a benefit.

**G. B. SEXSMITH**

**CHAIRMAN and AUCTIONEER**

### Allies Make Great Gains All Along Line--Germans Seem Uncertain Canadians Do Good Work

The great Allied drive is extending and all the Allied troops have been engaged during the last week. They have made big gains everywhere, capturing a very large number of prisoners, guns and materials and inflicting very heavy casualties on the enemy. Air reports state that in some places where the Germans are retreating they are almost inextricably mixed up and at one or two important places they are putting up a desperate defense to save immense amounts of supplies falling into the hands of the Allies.

The Germans seem uncertain as to where to make a stand as the Allies are keeping them on the jump, using large forces of cavalry and tanks to harass them.

The Canadians were again let loose after three months rest on Thursday last and in the first day drove the enemy back eight miles capturing a lot of prisoners and war materials. The casualties amongst the Canadians so far have been surprisingly low and there have been a great many more wounded Germans returned to the hospitals than Canadians.

In Russia the Czecho-Slovaks are slowly gaining on the Bolsheviks and everything seems to point to a change in Russian affairs in Siberia. All the Allied countries are making ready to send forces into Siberia to assist the Czecho-Slovaks, the American-Japanese arrangements final-

ly being completed to take such joint action as seems necessary under Japanese leadership for the assistance of Russia.

### Canadians for Siberia

Ottawa, Aug. 12.—That Canada will be represented by a military unit of considerable strength in the expeditionary force which the allied governments will send to Siberia to assist the Russians and the Czechoslovaks in their struggles against the central powers, was officially announced here tonight by the government. The statement was a brief one conveying information that the special force to be mobilized will be about 4,000 strong, but a more detailed announcement is promised later on.

### OBITUARY

Mrs. Wm. Siebert died on Wednesday morning, July 31st. She went about her work as usual the day before and took a light lunch on going to bed. Though she had been failing for some time death came unexpected. She apparently was the same as usual, but when she did not appear in the morning her husband returned to his bedroom and found her dead; it is presumed she passed away while asleep. Deceased was of Swiss origin, her parents emigrated from Switzerland to the State of Pennsylvania from whence they moved to the township of Southeast Hope, Perth County, Ont., where she was born in the year 1842 and grew to womanhood. In 1860 she was married to Wm. Siebert and they settled within a mile of her birth place where they lived until 1903, when the last of their children moved to Alberta and they decided to follow them and homesteaded in the vicinity known as Siebertville, where they resided until her death. Their married life was blessed with three

daughters and eight sons who are all living except one daughter. She possessed a kind, friendly disposition, no beggar left her door without receiving something. She was a life long member of the Evangelical church. She leaves behind to mourn their loss a husband and her sons, Henry J. and August J. of Canada, Kas.; William, of Marton, K.; A. P. of Rosthern, Sask.; Ezra, Levi, Edward F., and Milton A., of Siebertville, Alta., and two daughters, Mrs. W. E. Lieder, of Siebertville, Alta., and Mrs. Wm. Rupp, of Didsbury, Alta., besides 28 grandchildren.

The funeral took place on Sunday, August 5th, at 1 p.m., from her late residence at Siebertville to the Didsbury cemetery for interment. All of her sons and daughters were present except August who was unable to attend through sickness. Six of the sons were the pall bearers. Rev. Lamacher officiated. A large concourse of relatives and friends followed her to her last resting place thus paying their last tribute to one whom they highly esteemed.

### BUSINESS LOCALS

#### 5c A LINE IN ADVANCE IN THIS COLUMN

No advertisement taken for less than 25c.

**LETTUCE** for sale at McCollins.

**WILL THE PARTY** who was driving a Ford Car and who was seen on Saturday, July 27th, 1918, to pick up a black travelling bag, with initials F. S. S. on side, at a point about three miles north of Didsbury on road to Olds, please communicate with the owner of same, when suitable reward will be paid. F. S. Selwood, Imperial Bank Building, Calgary. 1c33

**FOR SALE**—Eight young pigs 6 weeks old. J. H. Anderson, mail man, phone 33. 2p32

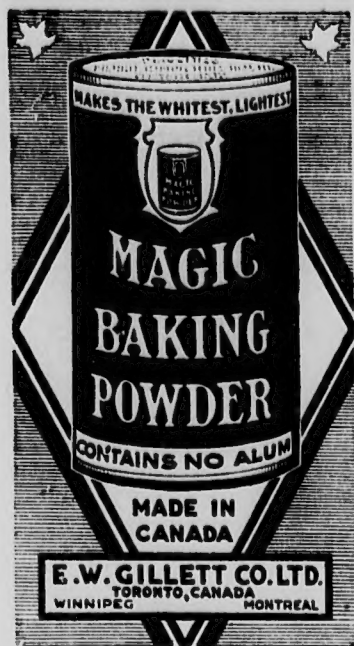
**FOR SALE**—10 young pigs 7 weeks old, also several brood sows. A. A. Van Wyk, phone 7405. 2p31

**FOR SALE**—A McLaughlin car for sale or trade for stock. J. E. McPherson, 3 miles south of Neapolis. Didsbury P. O. 2p31

**FOR SALE**—35 pigs 5 weeks old. Phone R2104. 2c32

Dr. M. Mecklenburg, the old reliable graduate, long experienced and well established Optician, will again be at the Rosebud hotel, Saturday, **AUGUST 31st**; also at Olds, Victoria Hotel, Friday, **AUGUST 30th**. Do not fail to see him.





## The Joy of the Simple Life

## Making Our Lives Simpler and More Simple Every Day

Every sensible man and woman today is a simple lifer. There are so many things which are difficult to get, so many controllers are hemming us in with prohibitions that we are making our lives simpler and more simple every day. Curiously enough, the large majority of us are feeling the better for it. We walk where we once motored, and the exercise sets the stagnant blood in our veins running with fresh vigor. We eat less and digest more. So little have we felt the deprivation that most of us are declaring that for the future it is to be the "simpler life forever." There are, of course, some who struggle in their absurd vanity to keep the old life alive. Their time is mainly spent in evading the orders of the food controller, or in discovering new sources of extravagance. Some day they will realize their mistake and join the happy army of "simpler lifers." You cannot have your cake and eat it. Our cake today is victory in the great war for freedom, truth and justice. That can only be ours if we deny ourselves all the other cakes we once loved so much. The "simpler lifer" is doing his duty and that is why he is happy. His is the vision without which, as Solomon told us, "the people perish."—London Express.

Why suffer from corns when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Cure.

## Crop Acreage Increased

According to the report of crop conditions issued by the census and statistics office of the Dominion government, the acreage seeded to wheat is twenty-five per cent. greater this year than it was in 1917. There is also an increase of ten per cent. in the acreage seeded to oats; fifty per cent. in the acreage seeded to barley; twenty per cent. to rye; and fifty per cent. to flax.

## Their "Bit"

"We used to hear a great deal about the 'idle rich.'"  
"So we did."  
"Are they all at work now?"  
"Not all, perhaps. But here of late they are taking care to keep out of the way of people who do work."  
—Birmingham Age-Record.

## When You Eat Grape-Nuts

you get the solid nourishment of whole wheat, malted barley and other grains in more pleasing, easily digestible form than in any other way.

This great, ready cooked cereal is very economical—requires no sugar, less milk, yet is probably the richest of all prepared cereals.

## Grape-Nuts

A Fitting War-time Food

"There's a Reason"

W. N. U. 1217

## Increased Building Activity

## Marked Revival in Building Operations in Western Canada

In most of the cities of Western Canada a considerable revival of city building activity is noted. This activity is chiefly in connection with the building of houses, the prosperity of the surrounding country having caused such a growth that in many of the cities there has not been sufficient houses for everybody wanting them. This especially true of Lethbridge, Alberta. More houses are being built in this city now, but with the great demand for labor in connection with work on the farms, city building is, of course, somewhat restricted. In Lethbridge the value of building permits issued last month was nearly six times as great as in May last year, and greater than in May in any year since the war began. In Calgary, Alberta, also more building permits were issued last month than have been issued in the same month since 1914. The value of the building permits issued at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, since the beginning of 1918 is 150 greater than of those issued during the corresponding period of 1917.

Montreal, May 29th, '09.  
Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.  
Yarmouth, N.S.

Gentlemen,—I beg to let you know that I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT for some time, and I find it the best I have ever used for the joints and muscles.

Yours very truly,

THOMAS J. HOGAN.

The Champion Clog and Pedestal Dancer of Canada.

## These Modern Days

"The Cavaliers used to drink a toast to some court beauty and then smash the glass so that it could never be used again."  
"We get the same results with the sanitary paper cup." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

**Choked for Air.** Some little irritant becomes lodged in the bronchial tubes, others gather, and the awful choking of asthma results. Nothing offers quite such quick and positive relief as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. The healing, soothing smoke or vapor penetrates, clears the passages and gives untold relief. Usually it completely cures. It has behind it years of success. It is the sure remedy for every sufferer.

## Use Loyal Seed Only

A County Tyrone farmer entered a seed merchant's shop in Omagh for turnip seed, asking if they could be guaranteed. "Yes," said the merchant. "I'll warrant them 98 per cent. germination."

"Then," said the patriot, "I'll not hev them; if there was 1 per cent. of the German nation about them I'd not sow them. No enemy trading for me."—British Farm and Home.

DOESN'T HURT A SPECK  
LIFTS OUT SORE CORNS

My, but it's glorious relief you get for a crusty old corn when you touch it with a drop or two of Putnam's Extractor. Mighty quick action on corns is what you get from Putnam's; it sure is a regular cure—acts on a new principle—dissolves the calloused parts, shrivels up the corn so you can peel it off with your fingers. No pain or soreness either when using or afterwards. Putnam's is guaranteed to lift out any corn. Costs but a quarter at any drug store.

## German Labor Worst Paid

## Conditions of Workers Much Inferior to Either France or Great Britain

Germany's much heralded boast that her labor standards are the highest in the world, and that her workmen are the most satisfied, best treated and highest paid, has been shown by the former secretary-treasurer of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, to be pure German propaganda.

He says that, due largely to the efforts of the Socialist press in the United States, the belief is prevalent that in Germany "labor has been taken care of by its government more than in any other country in the world, and that Germany is the country par excellence where industrial democracy prevails."

He produces records of investigations in 1913 that show the conditions of the workers in that industry in Germany were much inferior to those of either France or Great Britain. He further shows that the cigar-making and shoemaking industries in Germany make "beasts of burden" of German women, and that in other lines sweatshops and starvation conditions among the laborers is the real secret of Germany's trade supremacy in these respective lines.

Child labor has been exploited in both Germany and Austria for years. Compared with other countries, German labor is the worst paid in the world.

## DOUGLAS' INFANT TABLETS

FOR BABIES AND SMALL CHILDREN  
Cures Worms, Stomach & Teething Troubles  
Contains no harmful drugs. 25c per box or 5 boxes by mail on receipt of \$1.00.  
Douglas & Co., Napanee, Ont.

## Incontestable Evidence

"I can marry any woman I please."  
"Then I conclude you haven't pleased any yet."—Vancouver Province.

## CURING SKIN TROUBLES

These Are Always Due to Bad Blood Which Must Be Enriched and Purified

So many people, both men and women, suffer from skin troubles, such as eczema, blotches, pimples and irritations that a word of advice is necessary. It is a great mistake for those suffering from troubles of this kind to smear themselves with greasy ointments. Often they could not do anything worse, for the grease clogs the pores of the troubled skin and the condition becomes actually worse.

When there are pimples or eruptions, or an irritating or itching rash a soothing boracic solution may help to allay the irritation, but of course that does not cure the trouble. Skin complaints come from an impure condition of the blood and will continue until the blood is thoroughly purified. It is well known that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have effected the best results in many forms of skin disorders and blemishes. This is due to the fact that these pills make new, rich blood, and this new blood attacks the impurities that give rise to skin troubles and disperses them. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure skin disorders from within the system—the only sure way. Mrs. W. Ritchie, Parkburg, Sask., says:—"Two years ago I was attacked with eczema on my hands. I tried almost everything that was advised, but as the trouble was growing worse, I consulted a doctor and took his treatment for some time with no better results. By this time my hands were a mass of sores and I began to despair of finding a cure. A friend strongly advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to do so. After using two boxes I could see an improvement, and I got a further supply. I used altogether eight boxes by which time every trace of the eczema had disappeared and there has been not a single symptom of the trouble since that time. I gladly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for troubles of this kind."

It should be added that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have a beneficial effect upon the general health. They increase the appetite and energy and cure all diseases that arise from impure blood. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Schoolboy Heroes

There is not one boy in the Calgary schools who can be affected by the military law, according to Dr. Scott. There is not a boy in the schools over 12 years of age, although before the war there were many over 20. The enlistments from the schools have been remarkable. The last group of boys who went to join the flying corps were not over 18. It is not surprising, therefore, that arrangements have been made for putting in each school an honor roll bearing the names of the lads who have enlisted. After the war is over it is intended to make these records permanent.

## \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

## Live Stock Business Growing

Receipts at the stock yards at Edmonton, Alberta, for the month of May nearly doubled the receipts of last year. One hundred and eighty-five cars were received as compared with eighty-eight for the corresponding month of last year. The 185 cars last month contained 1,793 cattle, 808 calves, 3,258 hogs, 119 sheep and 76 horses, as compared with 1,042 cattle, 501 calves, 1,569 hogs, 9 sheep and 67 horses. The growth of business of the Edmonton stock yards is a measure of the growth of mixed farming in the country tributary to that city.

## Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

## Red Cross Dividends

The only interest you draw on Red Cross donations is the interest paid by your heart—satisfaction, coupons for having really given something to help win the war and comfort and care for the soldier boys.—Centralia Courier.

## War Savings

## Stamps Coming

## Canadian Government Is Contemplating Their Introduction

War savings stamps, which have been bringing millions to the United States treasury for some time past, are to be introduced to the Canadian public. The government has now in contemplation the inauguration of the new system of public saving and new source of revenue. In the United States war savings stamps may be purchased for small amounts. They are given in lieu of change in stores and shops, and are sold on the streets. The purchaser pastes them in a book, and when he has secured a sufficient number he may exchange them for a war certificate of a value to a certain percentage in excess of the price paid for the stamps.

**It Will Cure a Cold.**—Colds are the commonest ailments of mankind and if neglected may lead to serious condition. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will relieve the bronchial passages of inflammation speedily and thoroughly and will strengthen them against subsequent attacks. And as it eases the inflammation it will stop the cough because it allays all irritation in the throat. Try it and prove it.

## Explained

"It says here that a noted scientist has discovered that the seat of fear is in the brain," said the Old Fogey, as he looked up from his newspaper.

"Then that explains why some of these joy riders have no fear," replied the Grouch. — New Haven Courier.

ANY CORN LIFTS OUT,  
DOESN'T HURT A BIT

No foolishness! Lift your corns and calluses off with fingers —It's like magic!

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn, can harmlessly be lifted right out with the fingers if you apply upon the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

For little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain.

This simple drug dries the moment it is applied and does not even irritate the surrounding skin while applying it or afterwards.

This announcement will interest many of our readers. If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to surely get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.

## Margarine

Margarine came into being as a substitute for butter during the siege of Paris. M. Mourines, a French chemist and scientist, invented it by mixing milk and beef fat. The article that M. Mourines improved and eventually patented was later on manufactured by the Dutch and the Danes. When it was found that there was not sufficient beef fat for the manufacturers to meet the increased demand for the new butter, vegetable oils were experimented with, and so originated margarine as it is now known in England, of which the chief fat is a product of cocoa.

## Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

## Not His Turn to Write

The Scottish character is a compound of vices and virtues in which "thrawnness" (Anglice "obstinacy") and modesty are strongly represented. The other day an officer was bidding good-bye to one of his men who had been awarded the D.C.M., and who had, in consequence, been granted ten days' leave. "Well, corporal," said the officer "is a proud mother that'll be waiting to greet you when you get home this time." "What'll she be proud for?" queried the corporal, with a puzzled expression. "Of your medal, of course," was the answer. "But I don't think she knows I've got it, sir," said the corporal. "What! Haven't you told her?" "Well, sir, you see it wasn't my turn to write."—London Chronicle.

## Keep your shoes neat

**2 IN 1**  
**SHOE POLISHES**  
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BLACK, WHITE, TAN, DARK BROWN  
OR OX-BLOOD SHOES  
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CUT FINE FOR CIGARETTES

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Insist on having an  
**Otto Higel Piano Action**

## MONEY ORDERS

Dominion Express Foreign Cheques are accepted by Field Cashiers and Paymasters in France for their full face value. There is no better way to send money to the boys in the trenches.

## "Pals"

## The Story of a Wounded Soldier and His Overcoat

The editor of the American Magazine asked Private Peat one day to tell him the most tender, gentle thing he ever knew a soldier to do. He answered: "After the first gas attack at Ypres, in April, 1915, I was knocked out for a while and was in the clearing station at Merville. One day when I was lying there on a stretcher, a poor, miserable soldier came in. He was covered with mud and blood. He was minus his overcoat and his tunic was torn by shrapnel. He was soaked to the bone, for it was raining and he was shivering with cold and pain. The nurse hurried to him and asked him what had become of his overcoat. 'Oh,' he said, his teeth chattering, 'my pal was killed back there, and he looked so cold, lying there in the rain, I took off my coat and put it over him.'"

Sergt. Frank Smith of the Royal Engineers, the first British postmaster of Jerusalem, writing to a friend, says: "There are 40,000 inhabitants left in Jerusalem, and they were all glad to see us. The poverty is appalling, but business is picking up now and the post office is doing a thriving business."



In the treatment of all skin troubles bathe freely with Cuticura Soap and hot water, dry gently, and apply Cuticura Ointment to the affected parts. These fragrant super-creamy emollients tend to prevent little skin troubles becoming serious if used for every-day toilet purposes.

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**The Didsbury Pioneer**

H. E. OSMOND, Prop.

Subscription: \$1.50 per year  
U. S. Points: \$2.00 per year**EDITORIAL NOTES**

This season has been one of the most extraordinary that even the oldest old-timer remembers, and it looks as though it will keep up its record to the end. August has so far been cool and cloudy with occasional showers which is having the effect of reviving the pastures and consequently gladdening the heart of the farmers. It is somewhat of a surprise that the hay crop, both prairie and timothy, is turning out better than was expected on a great many farms in the district and the editor has had ocular demonstration within the last few weeks that grain crops, especially west of town, will be very good considering the uncertain season, in fact on some farms there will be some of the best wheat ever grown in this district. There is another consolation. Because of the dry weather in the early part of the season the grain is ripening fast consequently a great deal will be cut before it can be damaged very much by frost. In fact we noted that in the Rugby district last week cutting had already commenced. Reports from different sections of the north country also state that conditions up there are very encouraging in places, although, of course, the July frost did considerable damage in some sections where they had excellent prospects. This is all very encouraging not alone to ourselves but to our neighbors to the east and south who are or will be suffering because of the drouth. They can be assured that there is something to fall back upon; even though their hardships are multiplied, to keep them going till next year when they again may be fortunate enough to experience another good season.

Do you know that we cannot help thinking what a much better place this old world would be to live in if we would all show a little more sympathy, a little more unselfishness, do a little less gossiping about our neighbors, and give a little more encouragement and help to those who are spending a lonely cramped life through circumstances over which they have no control. Unfortunately we are all too "busy," or think we are, to give a thought to our brother or sister human being.

ings, to enter into their lives to give them a little sunshine once in a while or to say the quiet word that perhaps will change the whole outlook upon life for them. Well, here's where we must quit soliloquizing and get down to brass tacks.

The news from the west front has been very encouraging during the last four weeks and it looks as though the Allies through their centralized command under Gen. Foch have really started to turn the tables and instead of our being informed every day of what the Hun is doing to us we are now showing what four years of training can do against forty years and are giving the unholy Hun some fine points on warfare. There seems to be a great change taking place although it is not definite enough yet to show us anything of what it means. Germany seems to be militarily at sea just at present; grumblings from Austria-Hungary are heard; Bulgaria and Turkey are at loggerheads; Russia is again coming into the limelight and a large portion of her population siding with the Allies. The war may end suddenly or it may continue for years yet but there seems to be no reason to think that it is but going to end one way whatever may happen—right will prevail over might and the righteousness of the Lord upheld until all nations, principalities and powers shall proclaim that freedom from evil domination one over the other must cease and all men be equal.

**Ten Commandments for Wives of Present**

"How to Hold a Husband" is condensed into 10 commandments for modern women by Rev. P. R. Knickerbocker, who recently gave Los Angeles women the benefit of his experience in this decalogue:

1. Thou shalt have no other man except thy husband; neither shalt thou eye another.
2. Thou shalt not neglect thy home for a bargain sale, or club or suffragette propaganda.
3. Thou shalt not be a peach on the street, a pippin in society, and a lemon in the house.
4. Thou shalt not wear \$50 bonnets and imported lingerie when thy husband wears 5c socks and hand-me-down trousers.
5. Thou shalt not play bridge whist for gain, neither shalt thou sip the sparkling glass.

6. Thou shalt use the same blandishments on thy husband as thou didst use on thy sweetheart, and he shall always be thy lover.

7. Thou shalt not nag thy husband, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, nor thy servant.

8. Thou shalt suffer little children to come, for thy greatest name is Mother.

9. Thou shalt not neglect to pray for thy children; neither shalt thou neglect to spank them.

10. Thou shalt not rear thy children by proxy, but thou thyself shalt be their mother.

**Rosebud News**

We have had several good showers of late which will help the grain and if the frost keeps off there will be a fair crop.

Mr. Reheill has traded his Ford card and got a new Gray-Dort that he is now joy riding around in.

The Women's Institute met at Mrs. James Eubank's home last Thursday and a good time is reported.

Miss Reta Wiegand underwent an operation for appendicitis in Calgary last Thursday. Last report she was getting along alright.

The Geo. Thaler sale was a success in every particular, and Mr. Wilson has taken possession is busy haymaking.

Mr. P. R. Goehoe has been suffering of late with stomach trouble.

The Klaboldt farm has changed hands again. We haven't learned the buyer's name.

**A Newspaper Bargain Midsummer Special**

The DIDSBURY PIONEER is in a position to offer residents in this district a real bargain in the way of newspapers. We have concluded an arrangement with The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal by which we can offer that great Weekly and The DIDSBURY PIONEER until January 1st, 1919 for the small sum of \$1.00.

The Family Herald publishers are offering one hundred dollars in prizes for the best suggestions to improve that paper and the offer is open to all its readers. Orders for the two papers may be left at this office.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC****Change in Train Service**

Effective Aug. 18th, 1918

there will be a general change in train service. Times for trains at Didsbury will be:

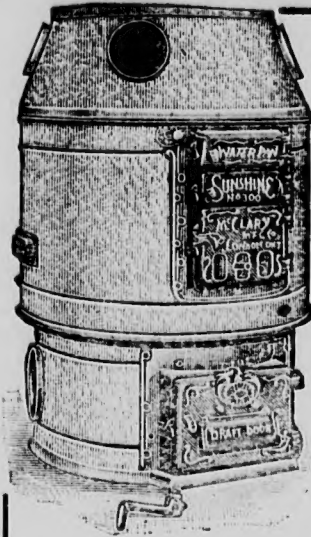
Going North			
	No. 521	No. 523	No. 525
Lv. Calgary	9.05	15.00	23.55
Lv. Didsbury	10.45	16.43	1.38
Ar. Edmonton	16.15	22.00	7.45
Going South			
	No. 522	No. 524	No. 526
Lv. Edmonton	8.30	13.35	23.55
Lv. Didsbury	14.03	18.30	3.44
Ar. Calgary	15.45	20.30	7.30

No. 525 stops to allow passengers to detain

For further particulars apply to any ticket agent.

J. E. PROCTOR,  
District Passenger Agent,  
2-21 Calgary.

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Straight walls in the deep firepot of the Sunshine Furnace prevent ashes from collecting and absorbing the heat instead of allowing it to do its work in heating the home—one of the features that make the Sunshine the kind of furnace you want for your home.

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**McClary's**  
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**Rooms from \$1.00**  
**EUROPEAN PLAN**

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# TO MEET THE MOST SERIOUS CRISIS THE WORLD HAS EVER WITNESSED

## ADJUSTMENT OF LABOR CONDITIONS NECESSARY

The Willing War Time Spirit Must Prevail in Order to Minimize  
The Effect of Shortage of Experienced Farm Labor for the  
Forthcoming Harvest Operations

The farmers of Canada will very shortly have to undertake the harvest work with the help of green labor. In this connection they should remember that we are at war. They should adjust the work throughout the farm to suit the new conditions, and they should begin right in their own minds.

The first adjustment necessary is to change the point of view from one of criticism, discouragement and fault-finding with labor conditions, to that of the soldier and war worker, and realize that we are going through a crisis, the most serious the world has ever witnessed without any exaggeration whatsoever.

There used to be talk among farmers derogatory to the city man and other inexperienced laborers who sometimes sought employment temporarily on the farm. Such talk is out of place now, with the Germans sixty miles from Paris and every available man in Britain and France fighting to save not only his own country but this country as well. Such Canadian farmers forget that they themselves have been farmers all their lives and in war time they can't expect to secure men volunteering from the cities with an experience in farm work equal to their own. That is an impossibility. But it is not impossible that farm production of this country be increased, despite the shortage of experienced labor. That this is true is proven by the experience of this country in the manufacture of munitions.

When the war started Canada was absolutely inexperienced, unskilled in, and without the machinery for the manufacture of munitions. But the manufacturers got to work. They studied the problem and they solved it.

Today Canada is turning out millions of dollars worth of shells every month from the largest to the smallest, and the most minute mechanical contrivances in connection with fuses and time charges. Canada's record in the manufacture of munitions is one of the surprises of the war. It was not made by Canada saying "Canada Can't," but by adopting the motto "Canada Can." Canada did not refuse to try because of the scarcity of labor but set to work to organize and employed men and girls who had never been inside a factory before. They accomplished the impossible! These inexperienced helpers were speedily taught their parts and the result is shown in the products of munitions from Canadian factories now known all over the world—not excepting Germany.

The result of organization and the willing war-time spirit in Great Britain is equally convincing. Great Britain last year, largely with inexperienced labor on the land, increased her cereal production by 850,000 tons, its potato production by 5,000,000 tons. The cultivated area was increased altogether by 1,000,000 acres. When in 1917, 820,645 men were taken from industrial organizations and placed in the army the war office replaced them with 804,000 women, and yet the production of guns was increased 30%, aid craft 250%, while shipping tonnage amounted to 1,165,000 tons, additional.

The best recent illustration of what can be done in an emergency when only inexperienced men are available is that of the battle of Picardy when the fifth army under General Gough was overwhelmed and outnumbered. It looked inevitable that the Huns would break through and capture the city of Amiens, which would have meant the interruption of railway communication between channel ports and Paris, cutting off the British from one of their chief bases of supplies. General Carey, however, saved the situation. He called upon all classes of men behind the lines, whether they were soldiers, cooks, camp followers, railway construction men, Chinese laborers, medical service men, transport men, or whatever they were and organized them to fill the breach. With these men he succeeded in doing what the 5th army failed to do—he held the line! With no training in trench warfare, and no fighting organization before that time, General Carey gathered them together and this nondescript gathering of troops kept the Huns back for six days and nights until reinforcements arrived. General Carey did not say "I can't use this untrained class of men," but he set to work without a moment's hesitation to make the best of them, and he succeeded in saving the British army and its allies from a desperate crisis.

Similarly, if the Canadian farmer makes up his mind that these are war times and war measures are necessary there is absolutely no doubt he can utilize to a tremendous advantage

the man power and woman power of the towns, where people are only too willing to go to his assistance, if they are organized to do so. He must not expect them to be experienced and to know as much about the details of farm work as he does. It has taken him a life-time to acquire his information. Townspeople have spent their lives at different work, but with his knowledge of farming and his intimate acquaintance with his farm and all its needs he should have the ability to organize inexperienced help and show each helper his or her particular job and how best to accomplish it. A few hours' patient teaching in any one particular line of work will very soon enable a greenhorn to "Carry on," as they say in the army. By patience and consideration the farmers of Canada can, without question, effect an organization from green but willing help from town that will not only surprise themselves but will also be of tremendous benefit to the empire by the increased results of their harvest.

## Indians Busy in Greater Production

Fifty Thousand Acres Under Cultivation in Coarse Grains

The Indians of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta this year will assist in the greater production campaign with over 50,000 acres under cultivation in the coarser grains, the greater part of this being in wheat. They also have 25,000 head of cattle, will have at least 25,000 bushels of potatoes, all their vegetables and summer garden stuff. This was the conservative estimate given to the Regina Leader by W. M. Graham, Indian commissioner for the western provinces.

Last year the Indians had about 40,000 acres under cultivation and their crops were excellent both in yield and quality. Moreover, they produced a large crop of beans which brought a high figure. This year they will have a better record to show at the end of the season for on every reserve they have gone to work with energy and have increased the acreage everywhere.

Their record of enlistments for active service overseas is an enviable one. According to population they have given an equal percentage of men in the fighting lines, there being over 2,000 Indians from Canada in the C.E.F. The exact figures for the west are not obtainable but it is well over the 400 mark, one reserve, Pelly, sending 21 men out of 43 eligible for service.

Since the beginning of the war the Indians and Indian women have done a great work assisting the Red Cross funds. Red Cross locals have been formed and regularly contributions are forwarded to the central office at Regina, Winnipeg and Calgary.

## Taking Revenge On Prisoners

Has Been Increasing Rigor During the Last Three Months

Eight French soldiers who escaped from a German prison camp, Witsburg, near Mannheim, report that there has been increasing rigor during the last three months in the "reprisal camps" in Germany.

The British troops particularly are suffering, while the French are fairly well treated. The treatment, the escaped prisoners declare, becomes more severe after each raid on the Rhine towns, the Germans hoping thus, an officer member of the party said, to cause a cessation of the allied raids.

This officer added that the Germans were exposing the lives of both allied officers and men, by concentrating them near ammunition factories likely to be attacked. But he added, "we prefer to be killed by our bombs rather than give in. Let the raids continue."

### Captain and Duchess

It was at a British hospital near the front. A Red Cross nurse came to the door, spied a soldier near, and reaching out a pail, said sweetly: "Will you please get me a pail of water?" He hesitated an instant, then stammered out, "Why, I can't do that, you know. I'm a captain." "Is that so? I am a duchess!" she said, even more sweetly. The crest-fallen captain got the water and the duchess finished scrubbing the floor. —Hamilton Times.

### New Hospital Ships

Authority has been issued for the equipment and personnel of two new hospital ships for the Canadian Red Cross service. The new vessels will have accommodation for 800 and 660 patients respectively.

## Blood Is Thicker Than Water

British Admiral Shooed Germans From U. S. Ships

This is a good time to remember how at a critical time in the Spanish-American war, the British navy stood by the U. S. navy against the German enemy they are now opposing as confederates in arms.

An officer who was present at Manila Bay that fateful day, tells the tale.

"During the early morning of August 13, the weather was very warm and humid, but after a time it cleared somewhat. I was standing on shore, together with some other officers. Von Diederich's German fleet—there were eight ships in all, seven large warships and one smaller vessel—was in one corner of the harbor. During the night the Germans had moved in until they were much closer to Dewey than before. Owing to the distance it was impossible to tell just what was taking place on board, but there seemed to be considerable activity.

"Captain Chichester's English ships were lying between the Germans and Dewey's fleet. Captain Chichester had taken this same action in a number of instances previously, so we did not regard it as peculiar.

"Just before nine o'clock our ships got under way. The monitor Monterey was first in line, but rather nearer shore than the others. The Olympia and the rest of Dewey's fleet were following, steaming rather slowly.

"Then we watchers on shore all noticed something peculiar. The battle-flags were broken from the masts-heads and the ships cleared for action, but instead of the guns being trained toward the Spanish forts they were directed upon Von Diederich's fleet.

"I think we all realized what was taking place. It was a moment of supreme suspense for us all. Then at the moment when the conflict appeared inevitable the British ships began to get under way. In a few minutes more Chichester's ships were directly between our fleet and the Germans. And they were ready for action and quite ready to fight if need be.

"An officer on board told me that as the Immortalite, Chichester's flagship, passed the Olympia, the decks of the British vessel were crowded and the band played snatches from 'El Capitan,' 'See the Conquering Hero Comes,' 'Under the Double Eagle,' and 'The Star-Spangled Banner.'

"In a few minutes more the crisis was over; the forts were captured and the Germans drew away to the other side of the bay."

Shall we ever know under what particular orders the German ships were in Manila Bay, and why they adopted so menacing an attitude?

We do know that it was because blood is thicker than water, that the British commander plainly warned the Germans that Britain's might would not permit the United States to be attacked from behind, while fighting another enemy.

What would have happened had the British fleet been elsewhere, when the lesson it alone could teach was so badly needed at Manila?

## Kill Militarism Root and Branch

Premier Hughes Tells of War Enthusiasm in Australia

In the course of an interview Premier Hughes of Australia said that Britain stood like a giant rock lashed by the fiercest hurricanes, displaying in the hour of her greatest trial a spirit worthy of the glorious cause for which she fought.

"In regard to Australia," said Mr. Hughes, "the enemy's desperate blows have rekindled more fiercely the fires of the people's enthusiasm. In the Commonwealth the war spirit is growing and recruits are offering in greater number than for the past two years. Australia will have nothing to do with a German peace. The overwhelming majority of the people stand solidly for the prosecution of the war to the last ounce until a decisive victory for the allies."

"America is now stripped for the fray," stated Mr. Hughes. "I have seen these men in thousands calmly preparing with deadly earnestness for the battlefield and they are coming in millions. We are going to destroy militarism root and branch from the face of the earth."

Mr. Hughes said he and his colleagues had received new impressions of the British navy that would last a lifetime. The arrangements for policing the Atlantic were marvellous. Throughout the journey of 14,000 miles they had not seen a trace of the enemy. What a tribute to the mighty power and supremacy of the British navy.

### Red Riding Hood Knows

Anybody deceived by the so-called gentleness toward their victims of U-boat commanders operating off the American coast should be looked after solicitously by a lunacy commission. No matter what sort of individual he may be in civil life, once a German puts on the kaiser's uniform he becomes a non-thinking automaton, entirely controlled by his master's directions. Whatever he does thenceforth is done on orders.—New York Globe.

# DESPERATE EFFORTS OF ENEMY TO INCREASE ITS FIGHTING STRENGTH

## THE MAN POWER OF GERMANY IS DWINDLING

There Are Many Indications That the Much-Vaunted Strength  
Of the Enemy Is Undergoing a Severe Strain, and That the  
Supply of Men Is Not Inexhaustible

## Fighting With Spade and Plow

Canadians Help the British Drive For Production

While preparing for their entry into the area of bayonets and hand grenades in Flanders, Canadian soldiers in England are fighting the Germans with spade and plow. The militia department has received a statement from the overseas authorities dealing with the efforts of the Canadian troops to aid in the great campaign for increased food production in the British Isles. This statement estimates there are 874 acres now under cultivation by the Canadian forces in England, 72 of which are being tilled by the hospitals, which produce vegetables, flowering plants, etc., for the benefit of the troops.

The scheme provided that each unit should run its own farm. They were given permission to draw working capital from their regimental canteen funds; if there were no funds money was advanced them by the authorities in London. There is no expense to the Canadian public, as these advances are repaid when the crop is sold.

The main crops, such as potatoes, carrots, etc., are sold to the army and navy canteen board, which in turn resells them to the quartermaster general's department for issue to the troops. The profits go to the agricultural fund of the unit for future operations or to the regimental canteen fund to be expended on the men.

In connection with their agricultural activities, the Canadians are setting out shade trees along the roads. Future generations of English people will point to these trees as relics of the time when the Canadians came over to do their bit for the salvation of the world. The men take a keen interest in the work. During the stay of His Majesty the King at the royal pavilion, Aldershot, vegetables were supplied the royal table from the area cultivated by the soldiers in the vicinity. They were of the finest quality and His Majesty expressed his appreciation in a letter of thanks to General Meighen.

## Kaiser No Longer "Prince of Peace"

German Ruler Hypocritical in Answer to Message from von Hertling

Prussian militarism will bring victory to Germany, says Emperor William, in reply to a telegram of congratulation on the anniversary of his accession from Chancellor von Hertling. The emperor declares that he leads "the most capable people on earth," and expresses the hope that the German people will have strength to bear their sufferings and privations. The telegram reads:

"I express cordial thanks and kind wishes to your excellency and the state ministry on the day on which 30 years ago I ascended the throne. When I celebrated my twenty-five-year jubilee as ruler I was able, with special gratitude, to point out that I had been able to do my work as a prince of peace.

"Since then the world picture has changed. For nearly four years, forced to it by our enemies, we have been engaged in the hardest struggle history records. God, the Lord, has laid a heavy burden upon my shoulders and I carry it in the consciousness of our good right, with confidence in our ship, our sword and our strength, and in the realization that I have the good fortune to stand at the head of the most capable people on earth. Just as our arms, under strong leadership, have proved themselves invincible, so also will the homeland, exerting all its strength, bear with strong will the sufferings and privations which just now are keenly felt.

"Thus I have spent this day midst my armies and it moved me to the depths of my heart, yet filled with the most profound gratitude to God's mercy.

"I know that Prussian militarism, so much abused by our enemies, which my forefathers and I, in a spirit of dutifulness, loyalty, order and obedience have nurtured, has given Germany's sword and the German nation strength to triumph and that victory will bring a peace which will guarantee the German life.

"It will then be my sacred duty, as well as that of the states, with all our power to see to the healing of the wounds caused by the war and to secure a happy future for the nation. In most faithful recognition of the work hitherto performed, I rely on your approved strength and the help of the state ministry. God bless our land and people."

Important information indicating that Germany's man-power has been sapped severely by the recent desperate drive came to the state department at Washington from a neutral country contiguous to Germany.

The facts are given in the correspondence sent to a newspaper in the neutral nation, and it is believed in Washington that they have particular importance at this time because they bear out other information along the same line which has reached Washington.

First, it has been noted by investigation along the Dutch frontier that the German garrisons have been practically stripped. Until recently Germany had massed a considerable number of troops along the Dutch border, presumably with a view to intimidating the Netherlands government.

Second, reliable information comes from investigators recently leaving Germany that virtually all the much-needed man-power in many of the munition factories has been called to the western front.

The German authorities, after carefully studying the situation, apparently have decided to replace able-bodied men in munition plants with prisoners of war, women and children.

The work of the women and children has been a factor for some time, but never on a large scale, and it is only desperation on the part of Germany which causes the project for the wholesale use of war prisoners on work, much of which is highly confidential.

Thirdly, Germany has, according to reports of investigators, formed "convict battalions" by stripping the German prisons and even sending the prisoners to fight on the western front.

With this information comes the news that troops remaining in Rumania are of a second-class character and that all the German first-class fighting material has been called to aid the drive in the west.

Information of precisely the same character is received with respect to German troops remaining in Finland. It is understood that the best fighting material from the Russian front has been called to assist the campaign against the British, French and Americans.

## Industrial Research Facilities Wanted

Universities to Be Asked Also to Establish Exchange Scholarships

Recommendations will be made by the Canadian Industrial Reconstruction Association to the various Canadian Universities to establish facilities for industrial and scientific research. The executive committee of the association suggested this move at a meeting of the parent body, and it was accepted. The executive committee also decided that a system of exchange scholarships between the English Universities outside of Quebec and the Universities in Quebec, should be established.

The desirability of getting into touch with Western natural resources of their districts, with a view to the establishment of industrial plants there, was also approved.

Plans of Senator Nichols in regard to the development of export markets were endorsed.

## Japan Is Anxious To Get Into War

Able to Throw 3,000,000 Men Against the Common Enemy

The "Yoruduz," a Japanese newspaper, dealing with the question of intervention in Siberia, says: "What additional resources can the allies muster? Prompt action by the Japanese army alone can save England, France and humanity. The allies will soon request the intervention of Japan, who now stands like an archer with bow bent.

"The answer must be instantaneous. Japan's army exists in vain if it is not now used to win the game which divides the world. Japan must call up half a million men, two millions, three millions, if necessary and advance to the Urals, or beyond, until the main enemy is encountered.

"We will go as far as is necessary to check the Germans effectively. We fear no difficulties and will shrink from no sacrifices, realizing that we allies must win or succumb to Teutonic domination."

### 40,000 People Barefooted

According to statistics published in the Vienna Zeit, 40,000 persons in Budapest are barefooted, owing to the scarcity of shoes.



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## Carmen's Messenger

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(Continued.)

The man told him to turn to the right and after speaking to the driver Daly asked if there was a garage and a good hotel near. The policeman gave him some directions, and when the car turned round and rolled away slowly Foster followed. He passed close by the policeman and taking advantage of the sociable Scottish custom nodded and remarked that it was a fine night. The man answered civilly, with a careless glance at Foster, who went on, feeling satisfied with his experiment. It was obvious that no inquiries about him had been telegraphed to Hawick and he had only Daly to deal with. This was curious, if the police were really anxious to find him.

The garage was open and Foster asked a man if they hired motor bicycles. The fellow said they did but the manager was out, and Foster strolled about the room. Daly's driver was refilling the lamps with carbide, and when this was finished asked for petrol.

"You're for the road again," the man who brought the tin remarked. "For Langholm," replied the driver. "I don't expect we'll go farther tonight, but I've got to have things ready if the boss wants to go on."

Foster hoped the other would ask where they had come from, but he did not do so, and the next moment walked down some steps at the other end of the room. Knowing that a quick retreat might betray him, Foster stood still, examining a lamp he picked up, and Daly, who crossed the floor, passed within a yard or two.

"You can fix her all right I suppose," he said to the driver.

The latter said something about a spark plug, and when Daly stooped over the engine the light of a lamp shone into his face. He was a big, handsome man, but Foster, studying him closely, noted his hard and greedy eyes. For a moment, he came near forgetting the need for caution and was stirred by a fit of rage. The fellow had it in his power to bring disgrace upon upright people and drag an honored name in the mire. He could humble Alice Featherstone's pride and ruin the brother she loved.

Lawrence had done wrong, but had paid for it and made good in Canada, and now the rogue who had learned his secret would drag him down, or, as the price of silence, bring his relatives to poverty. Foster felt that was not the man to be merciful when there was an advantage to be got; one saw a sinister hint of cruelty in his coarsely handsome face. It would have been a relief to provoke the fellow and throw him out of the garage, but Foster knew he must deny himself this satisfaction, since it would make things worse for those he meant to

shield. He did not remember having felt so full of primitive savagery before, but he exercised his self-control.

Standing in full view but rather in the shadow, he turned his head, looking down at the lamp he began to take to pieces, and presently Daly said to the driver, "You had better get some food; I'll want you soon."

Then he came back and passing close enough to touch Foster, went up the steps and through a door. Foster put down the lamp and strolled out of the garage. He found dinner ready at his hotel and when he had finished went to the smoking room, which was opposite the office. He left the door open and by and by heard a man enter the hall and stop at the counter.

"Have you an American called Franklin here?" he asked and Foster smiled as he recognized Daly's voice.

He had half expected the visit, and the inquiry was cleverly framed. Daly had not asked about a Canadian, because the accent of Western Canada is that of the United States, and Franklin resembled Featherstone enough to prompt the girl clerk to mention the latter if he were a guest. For all that, Daly was ignorant of the Scottish character, because the Scot seldom offers information that is not demanded.

"No," she said, "we have no American staying with us."

Foster thought Daly opened the visitors' book, which lay on the counter, but as he had not yet entered his name, there was nothing to be learned from it. Still Daly might enter the smoking room, and he picked up the Scotsman and leaning back in his chair held up the newspaper to hide his face. After a few moments Daly said, "I don't know anybody here; it looks as if my friends aren't in the hall."

Then he went along the hall, and when the door shut Foster put down the newspaper and began to think. He imagined that Daly hardly expected to find Featherstone in Hawick, but it was curious that he was going to Langholm, which was on the best road to Lockerbie in Annandale. It was the police Foster had tried to put off the track at the clachan by striking west across the moors, and he did not think Daly had anything to do with them. He could see no light on the matter, but when he went back to the garage it was something of a relief to find the car had gone.

### XIII.

#### Foster Returns to the Garth

After breakfast next morning Foster asked the hotel porter to take his knapsack to the station and get him a ticket to Carlisle. He must leave a clue for Daly, who might come back to Hawick when he failed to find him in Annandale, but would be badly puzzled if he went to Carlisle, because it was an important railway centre, where one would have a choice of several different routes. This should give Foster a few quiet days, after which he must think of a way of inducing Daly to resume the chase. The latter probably thought he was following Lawrence, and if he did not, no doubt concluded that Foster was working in concert with him, and to find one would help him to deal with the other.

It was a dark morning and the smoke of the woollen factories hung about the town. A few lights burned in the station, but the building was gloomy and Foster had no trouble in finding the porter among the waiting passengers. Soon after he did so, the train came in and the man hurried along the platform, looking into the carriages.

"Ye wanted a corridor, sir," he said as he opened a door.

Foster got in and stood at the window until the porter went away. People were running up and down looking for places, but he had no time to lose. Opening the door on the opposite side, he went along the corridor and stood for a moment on the step at the other end of the carriage. He could not see the porter, and when two or three passengers ran up got down from the step. Next moment the whistle blew, the engine snorted and the train rolled out of the station.

As none of the porters spoke to him, Foster thought he had managed the thing neatly and made it look as if he had come to see somebody off instead of having been left behind. For all that, he waited a minute or two, studying a time table, to avoid the risk of overtaking the hotel porter; and then made his way by back streets out of the town. For some miles, the road he took ran south up a well-cultivated valley, past turnip and stubble fields and smooth pasture and then changed to a rough stony track that climbed a hill.

(To Be Continued.)

#### Resources of Western Canada

The vast potential resources of Western Canada for accommodating new farmers and for providing homes for the demobilized troops and the after-war tide of immigration are indicated by figures contained in the annual report of the interior department. The total area of surveyed land in the West is now 176,260,225 acres, or 1,101,621 farms of 160 acres each. Last year new land blocked out and surveyed totaled 2,221,280 acres, or 13,863 farms of 160 acres each. The year before 3,112,640 acres of new land were surveyed, equivalent to 19,454 quarter section farms.

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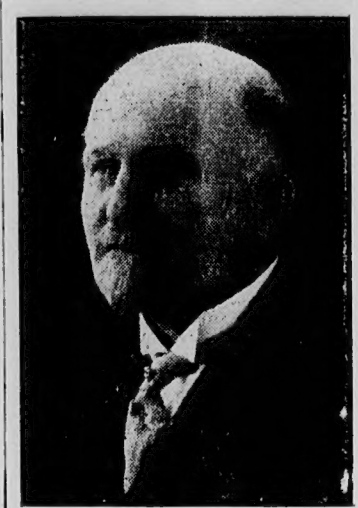


### Big Irrigation Convention

Prominent Speakers Will Discuss Problems of Vital Importance

The twelfth annual convention of the Western Canada Irrigation Association, will be held at Nelson, B.C., on July 24, 25 and 26.

Those who have definitely arranged to speak at the convention are Mr. Don H. Bark, chief of the irrigation investigation branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who is to



HON. W. R. MOTHERWELL  
Minister of Agriculture, Province of Saskatchewan

talk on "Don't in Connection with Irrigation"; Prof. E. Clement of Vancouver, who will speak on "Orchard Problems"; E. F. Drake, superintendent of irrigation, Ottawa, whose subject is "The Conservation and Utilization of our Water Supply"; J. W. Eastham, Vernon, B. C., "Apple Scab and Some Factors in Its Control"; J. A. Grant, markets commissioner of the British Columbia government, an address on "Marketing Problems"; A. L. McCulloch, Nelson, B. C., who will speak on "Meteorological Conditions in their Relation to the Question of Irrigation"; M. S. Middleton of Victoria, "What Can the Farmer in Southeastern British Columbia afford to pay for Irrigation?"; Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture, Edmonton, whose subject will be selected; Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, Regina, "The Principles of Dry Farming"; Prof. C. H. Parham, Invermore, B. C., "Mixed Farming and Alfalfa as an Aid to Orchard Development"; Hon. T. D. Patullo, minister of lands, Victoria, "Irrigation in British Columbia"; F. R. R. Wellston, manager, Coldstream Estates, Vernon, "Problems Peculiar to the Okanagan"; Wm. Young, comptroller water rights, Victoria, "How Farmers May Co-operate in establishing Small Irrigation Schemes Under the Recent Amendments to the B. C. Water Act." Other speakers

are now being communicated with and it is expected that among these a number of leading authorities from the United States will be secured to address the convention.

Although the meeting of the Western Canada Irrigation Association are serious business gatherings, the opportunity to combine business and pleasure is never overlooked and this will be possible to an exceptional degree at the Nelson convention this summer. No more beautiful holiday resort could have been selected for this gathering and the Nelson people are setting themselves about to make preparations for entertainment on a schedule which, while it will be in keeping with the war spirit of the times will lack nothing of the hospitality for which the pioneer, the prospector, and the rancher are famous. The convention should prove particularly attractive to farmers from the prairie provinces who will be afforded an opportunity of hearing many of their problems discussed by men who have made life studies of them and who at the same time may enjoy for themselves and the members of their families a very delightful outing in the mountains and lake regions of Southern British Columbia.

### Aircraft Get Three U-Boats

Longer Hours of Daylight Enable Seaplanes to Hunt Down U-boats

Accounts of the destruction of three enemy submarines by British aircraft were published recently. It is explained that the longer hours of daylight enable seaplanes, airships and kite balloons to assist materially in hunting down U-boats. Summer conditions favor the submarine-hunters, whose incessant searching of the seas forces German craft to seek deeper waters.

An observer in a British towing balloon sighted certain things which, to his trained eye, indicated the presence of a U-boat at a great depth. Depth charges were dropped, and the submarine was obliged to shift its position. The balloon continued on watch, and an hour later a submarine was observed to emerge a long distance away on the horizon and start shelling a sailing vessel. The balloon was towed rapidly to the spot, and in the meantime the U-boat was forced to submerge by shots from the towing vessel. Under the direction of the balloon observer the towing vessel got over the track of the U-boat and dropped nine depth charges. A large quantity of oil came to the surface, spreading gradually until it covered an area of a square mile.

A British dirigible sighted a U-boat attacking a merchantman. The dirigible reached the spot just after the U-boat submerged and dropped a bomb three feet astern. A quantity of oil came to the surface. The dirigible dropped a second bomb, scoring a direct hit and lifting the submarine to the surface momentarily, after which it disappeared in a pool of oil.

A seaplane sighted a U-boat submerging and dropped a bomb, which

brought a quantity of air bubbles to the surface. The seaplane dropped a second bomb into the centre of the churned water and a great quantity of oil came to the surface. The disturbance continued for so long a time it was evident the submarine was mortally wounded.

### Profit in Mutton

Lamb Feeding on Irrigated Land Is Remunerative

The lamb industry has not developed so rapidly in Canada as it has in the United States. The reason for this is probably that the taste of the Canadian people with regard to mutton is not so discriminating as that of their neighbors to the south. In Canada the public seems to prefer the yearling or two-year-old wether, and is satisfied to accept the larger cuts rather than to call for hand-sized legs, loins, etc. Nevertheless, there are wonderful opportunities for the feeding of lambs in Canada, and especially in Alberta, where an abundance of rough feed can be obtained with comparative ease. Particularly in the irrigated areas does the lamb-feeding industry pay. Well-bred lambs of a quick-maturing breed will need little grain in addition to good alfalfa hay in order to put on profitable gains. Many farmers in the Lethbridge district of Southern Alberta proved the truth of this assertion and have developed quite a feeding industry.

The Canada Land and Irrigation Company, of Medicine Hat, have made some nice records in this direction, too. Last spring this company shipped 275 lambs to Calgary, selling them for \$16.00 per hundred, which at that time was a record price. They were on feed a little more than 100 days, and weighed 97 lbs. at the time of shipment.

This past winter the company put 325 range lambs on feed November 20, and on the 12th of January, after 43 days' feeding, 202 head of them were sold at 16 cents per pound, fed, watered and weighed at the Ronalene irrigated farm, and, as this would mean 17 cents per pound in Calgary, it was a record by a large margin.

Those who love the feeding game will find pleasure and profit in the feeding of lambs. It would not surprise competent authorities if the lamb market exceeded the 20-cent mark locally in the near future, and with very little extra effort a bunch of range lambs can be fattened in short periods.

### Close the Stores Early

Why not close the stores every other day at noon and let the clerks go out and help on the farms? Why not let the towns' employees, including the town clerk, get out on the farm for the harvest rush? Why not close the lawyers' offices every afternoon? Why cannot the school teachers help on the farms during the holidays?

### The Raw Recruit

Sentry—Who goes there?  
Recruit—Me. But I ain't goin'; I'm comin'.—Boston Transcript.

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The battle has shown us a German innovation—the creation of specially equipped units known as "Ausbent Commandos," who are given the task of completely stripping and despoiling all bodies of friends and enemies picked up on the battlefield.

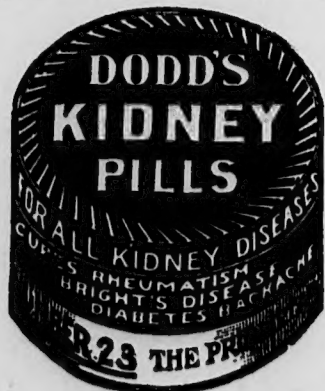
These official robbers collect all clothing and equipment from the corpses and send the booty to centres which despatch them to the rear. The extreme shortage of leather and clothing explains the creation of these death units, without reckoning that the Germans, who are more than ready for treachery, will be able to clothe certain of their units as French or British soldiers in an attempt to deceive us.

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#### His Inspiration

Lady (to soldier who has been decorated for bravery)—And what inspired you to act in that heroic manner?

Jack—Well, ye maun ken, ma'am, Ah've put my money in the war loan, an' Ah wants to keep it safe.—Vancouver Province.



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## The Largest Flour Mill in Canada

Construction of New Flour Mill at Calgary

Rapid progress is being made in the construction of the new flour mill which is being erected in Calgary, Alberta, and which, when completed, will be the largest in Canada, and one of the most up-to-date mills on the American continent.

Plans have been laid for a remarkable output of flour in the mills and storage of grain in the elevators. The mill itself will be built in two units, one for the preparation of export flour, and the other for flour to be used on the local market. The capacity of the mill will be from 6,000 to 7,000 barrels of flour daily, and the capacity of the elevator will be a million bushels.

It is estimated that from three to four hundred men will be employed in the mill and elevator when completed. The cost of constructing the plant will be well on to a million dollars.

Situated as it is right in the heart of a country where the best of hard spring wheat is grown, and having most favorable marketing facilities, Calgary is an ideal location for such a mill.

Most infants are infested by worms, which cause great suffering, and if not promptly dealt with may cause constitutional weaknesses difficult to remedy. Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms and will so act upon the system that there will be no recurrence of the trouble. And not only this, but they will repair the injuries to the organs that worms cause and restore them to soundness.

#### Murphy Preferred Coasting

An officer on board a warship was drilling his men.

"I want every man to lie on his back, put his legs in the air, and move them as if he were riding a bicycle," he explained. "Now commence."

After a short effort, one of the men stopped.

"Why have you stopped Murphy?" asked the officer.

"If ye plaz, sir," was the answer, "O'm coasting."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

## Why People Feel Depressed In the Cold Weather

Why is tiredness and languor so prevalent just now? A physician explained that the cold of winter drives blood from the surface of the body to the liver. Normally one-fourth of the whole blood supply is in the liver, and when more blood is accumulated in that organ everything goes wrong.

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#### The True Celtic Wit

Gift of Repartee Possessed by the Common People

A good story of an episode that befell him in Dublin a little while before the war is told to a London newspaper by Adm. Sir Cecil Burney, who was commander of a division at the battle of Jutland.

Accompanied by a friend, he was strolling along the quays when the conversation turned on the alleged gift of repartee possessed by the Irish common people. His companion ventured to throw doubt upon that gift, saying that he believed it was only a legend.

"Well," retorted Sir Cecil. "I can tell you this, that if you care to test your theory by making some jesting remarks to anyone you like around here, you'll get just as good as you give."

"We'll try it!" said the other, and he walked over to where an old woman was displaying some fruit for sale on a stall. Taking up a fine melon and addressing the old lady, he said gravely: "You grow pretty good apples over here, mother; but in England we have them twice that size."

The old lady looked up, surveyed the joker coolly, and replied in a tone of pity: "Ah, what for should I be wastin' me breath to talk to wan that takes our Irish gooseberries for apples!"—Moose Jaw Times.

#### No Fifty-fifty

Snooks, having accepted a cigar from Tukes was wearing a disgusted expression.

"What's the matter with it?" asked Tukes. "I have just given a shilling for two of them."

"Yes," replied Snooks, "but my luck's out; you got the tenpenny one."—Tit-Bits.



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## Big Wheat Yield

Average Yield of Crops of Western Canada Over Ten Years

The census and statistics office of the Canadian government has just completed a statement of the annual average yields per acre of field crops for the ten years from 1908 to 1917. This statement shows that the average yield per acre of fall wheat in Canada is 23 bushels, and of spring wheat, 19 bushels, as compared with the United States decennial average, 1907 to 1916, of 15.6 bushels for winter, and 13.2 bushels for spring wheat. By far the larger proportion of wheat grown in Canada is grown in the Prairie Provinces, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

## Manitoba's "Cow Bill"

The Venture Has Proved Wholly Successful

Manitoba was the first of the western provinces to pledge the credit of the provincial government in enabling co-operative groups of farmers to purchase cows for breeding purposes. Manitoba started in this line two years ago and the Winnipeg Free Press reports that the venture has proved wholly successful. About 3,500 cows have been supplied to nearly 1,000 settlers, and over 3,000 applications are now on hand to be dealt with later. During the fall of 1917 the first payments became due on the cows supplied during the previous year, and the fact that practically every payment was met when due, shows that the cows were delivered to the right class of thrifty settlers, and that the cows were a good investment and proved profitable. It is worth noting, too, that the creamery companies of Winnipeg also report a large increase of milk supplies from the districts where cows have been delivered by the government.

In Alberta, where a similar system of government aid was inaugurated about the same time, the venture has proved equally successful.

## WHILE AT WAR

Women Suffer at Home



Toronto, Ont.—"I consider Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription the very best of women's tonics. I suffered a severe nervous breakdown. I could not sleep, was weak and tired all the time. I took the 'Prescription' and just a few bottles completely built me up and relieved me of my nervous condition. It is a good medicine and I am glad to recommend it."—MRS. ALFRED SHKAPARD, 259 Seaton St.

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## The Government Helps

Assisting Manitoba Farmers to Purchase Cattle

Under a scheme of the Manitoba government, farmers in that province with grazing and feeding facilities, but without the means with which to buy cattle, are enabled to stock their farms with high-class animals, feed them all summer, and sell them in the winter. This scheme, which is known as the "Stockers and Feeders Plan," is very simple in its method of operation.

The farmers buy a number of cattle which have been approved by the agricultural representative of the department of agriculture. The government pays for the animals, and as a security, takes a lien note from the farmer. The note, which bears interest at six per cent., does not mature until the following October.

By means of this plan, which was instituted last summer, nearly two thousand head of prime cattle were kept in the province last year until they were fit for food purpose, whereas had the plan not been in existence, they would have been sold for slaughter in a light and unfattened condition.

## WELL SATISFIED WITH BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she will use nothing else. Experience teaches her that the Tablets are the very best medicine she can give her baby. They are a gentle laxative; mild but thorough in action and never fail to banish constipation, colic, colds or any other of the many minor ailments of childhood. Concerning them Mrs. J. Bte. Charest, St. Leon, Que., writes:—"My baby cried continually and nothing seemed to help her till I began using Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets soon set her right and now I would not be without them." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

#### Revolvers and Liquor

The basis of crime is liquor, in the opinion of members of the Illinois State Society of the American Institute of Criminal Law and Criminology, which held its seventh annual convention at Chicago lately. The president of the society declared that with the abolition of the liquor traffic, seventy-five per cent. of the sum total of crime will disappear. And, according to a state senator, who was formerly assistant state attorney, murderers are not necessarily innate criminals. Not one murder in a hundred is the result of deliberate intent, he says, his experience having taught him that the trouble lies largely in the indiscriminate sale of revolvers and liquor.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, the best remedy of the kind that can be had.

#### The German Way

The German—Of course, I promised you self-determination.

The Ukrainian (bitterly)—Well?

The German—But I didn't say whether I meant yourself or myself to do the determining, did I?—Buffalo Express.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

#### Striking Exhibit

Diverse Resources of Canada Shown at Windsor Station

Visualizing in a striking manner a large number of the diverse natural resources of Canada, the Canadian Pacific Railway has just opened to the public an exhibit at the Windsor street station. This exhibit, which is situated in a room immediately adjoining the main entrance to the station on Osborne street, has been prepared by the collaboration of the Quebec government and the C.P.R.

One half comprises the Quebec exhibit, consisting of samples of the resources of the province—lumber, asbestos, and other minerals, grain, maple sugar, fur-bearing animals, such as the ermine, marten, mink, fox and beaver, and fish and game birds.

The C.P.R. exhibit has been gathered from the entire Dominion. A splendid display of grains produced in the fertile fields of Western Canada is a special feature. Supplementing this is a big collection of fruits, forestry products and minerals. A number of colored transparencies show the methods used in developing the forest resources of Canada, from the primary state to the finished product, such as wooden ships. Other transparencies illustrate some of the summer resorts along the company's lines. Complete and recent statistics of all the country's resources add conviction to the display. The exhibit is installed in handsome showcases, brilliantly lit; and it is interesting to know that all the material used in the construction room is Canadian material exclusively.

Clothes do not make the young man, but a uniform helps a whole lot, observes the Regina Leader.

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## The Kaiser's Cup

If you should have been unfortunate enough to have ever received a gift from the Kaiser you should examine it at once and see what it is made of. This poor sport donated a cup to the winner of a trans-Atlantic yacht race which has been sold for the benefit of the Red Cross and publicly broken to pieces in New York. It was supposed to be of solid gold and worth five thousand dollars. It was really made of pewter with a thin gold plating and is valued at less than forty dollars. His mouth has been full of lies and his actions full of deceit.

## AROUND THE TOWN

Mrs. S. R. Wood was a visitor in Calgary over the week end.

Le.-Corp. Eddie Pirie was a visitor in town over the week end.

There will be no service held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Mrs. W. Zimmerman and little daughter returned from Calgary on Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Stauffer, Miss McArthur and Mrs. (Dr.) J. M. Reed of Calgary were week end visitors in Didsbury.

The Misses Leona Weber and Winnie Moyle will have charge of the Red Cross lunch on Friday afternoon.

A dance will be held in the Fisher Bros. barn on the old Olsen farm on Friday night next. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wrigglesworth received a letter from their son, Lieut. Geo. Wrigglesworth, stating that he had arrived safely in England.

A good one—One reason a man has more pockets than a woman is because his collar is too tight to permit him to throw things down his shirt front.

Innisfail Town Council struck their mill rate last week. The rates are as follows: General 20 mills, debenture 21 mills and business tax of 10 per cent. of rental values.

Miss Ara Weber of the Western Mutual Fire Insurance Co.'s staff is holidaying at Gull lake. The Misses Wood and Edwards of the same staff have just returned from their holidays.

W. Pear has been appointed town constable in the absence of Mr. W. F. Sick. Law and order will perhaps be better observed amongst cattle and horses now Mr. Pear is on the job.

Pte. Cecil Studer came home on leave for a short visit with his parents this week before leaving for Winnipeg where he will take a course in military engineering before leaving for overseas.

Be sure to see the exceptionally fine cinema masterpiece, "Joan the Woman," which Mr. J. W. Farrington has secured to show at the Opera House on Monday night, August 19th, and which was shown for two weeks at Calgary.

October 27th is the date set to return to regular time and daylight saving discarded for this year. Daylight saving has been very generally observed in urban centres with benefit, but amongst the rural population it has not had much effect.

Have you seen the big posters in the Harmattan country? They are to tell you about the Big Tent Meeting which will start next week near Harmattan P. O. under the auspices of the Nazarene church. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

A new change in train service goes into effect on Sunday next. The new time table is published in our advertising columns. The three trains each way are continued but how long this service will be maintained and whether the C. P. R. will go back to last winter's schedule of only two trains each way is not known. It is to be hoped that they will be able to keep up their new schedule.

The Didsbury Women's Institute in conjunction with the Women's Institutes in the District west of Didsbury will hold a monster meeting and auction sale in aid of the Red Cross on Saturday, August 31st in Didsbury. A cafeteria dinner

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The London Gazette published in a recent issue of the London Times contains the following notice in its List of Mentions regarding the son of one of our prominent families west of Didsbury: "War Office, March 13th, 1918, name of following have been brought to notice of the Secretary of Services for War for valuable services in connection with the war, Staff Quarter-Master Sergeant Sidney Neville Worthington, No. 446889."

The following is taken from an exchange but applies equally well to Didsbury: "Autos should not be driven in the streets of this town at the clip that seems to be the vogue at this season, and also cars are being driven by younger drivers than the law calls for. Most drivers of motor cars are apt to open the throttle in the country with a clear road—they are usually taking most of the chances then themselves—but there is no justification for this speed stuff in the town, and somebody is going to get hurt some day."

## RED CROSS BULLETIN

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## MEMBERS NOTICE

All the members of the Didsbury Branch of the Red Cross Society are requested by the President, Mrs. H. E. Osmond, to attend a meeting to be held in the Red Cross rooms on Monday evening, August 19th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Business of importance.

The following shipment of articles has been sent to the Calgary depot:

12 pair pyjamas, 4 day shirts, 84 pillow cases, 108 towels, 20 cotton binders, 36 wash rags, 7 pairs socks, 48 hospital handkerchiefs, 22 T bands, 24 wringers.

The truth is now coming to light that Germany before the war, intentionally underestimated her population. It has hitherto been supposed that it was in the neighborhood of 65,000,000. The fact is now coming out that she has fully 90,000,000 people. This, of course, increases her military supply by hundreds of thousands. It is one more indication of the designing character of the German mind.

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